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CONVICTION OF VAN SCHAICK.

William H. Van Schaick, captain of the steamer General Slocum, destroyed by fire in June, 1904, with an attendant loss of more than 1,000 lives has just been sentenced to serve ten years in prison. Van Schaick was found guilty of criminal negligence in failing to have fire drills on the steamer. The conviction of the captain will be viewed with mixed feelings by those who lost friends or relatives in the disaster, and by the public generally.

Van Schaick was undoubtedly guilty of criminal negligence if, as the jury found, he failed to have fire drills on the Slocum. But he should not be compelled to bear the burden alone, for he was not responsible for all the fatalities. It was shown at the inquest held on the bodies of the Slocum victims that the life preservers were absolutely rotten and useless. Some of them were found to contain pieces of iron, in order to increase their weight others were filled with pulverized cork and the casing was so rotten that it tore and permitted the cork to escape like so much meal.

Hundreds of people perished because the life-preservers were of this character. Who was responsible for them? To a certain extent Van Schaick, of course, for he should have inspected the life-preservers and seen to it that they were in good condition. Yet if he had done that, if he had found them to be rotten and so reported, the chances are that he would have been discharged. The owners of the boat were responsible for the life-preservers. They bought the inferior kind because they were cheaper. Not one of the owners has yet been brought to trial.

And how about the inspectors who were supposed to look after the life-saving apparatus, who were supposed to know whether or not the Slocum was being loaded beyond her safe passenger capacity? Have they been convicted and sent to prison? If so, the fact has escaped the public's attention. One or two of them may have been dismissed from the government service, but that is a very light punishment when measured by the sentence meted out to Van Schaick. It is probable that Van Schaick should have been convicted, but the full duty of the New York prosecutors will not have been done until "men higher up" have been brought into court.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company.
Statement showing the business of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company during the year 1905.
Amount expended on contracts \$777 05
Receipts None
FRANK BUFFMAN,
District Cashier.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of The Moscow Fire Insurance Co. Of Moscow, Russia.
Capital (Paid up) deposit \$200,000 00
Assets 1,280,284 32
Liabilities, exclusive of capital and net surplus 621,425 94
Income
Premiums 888,270 85
Other sources 17,354 43
Total income, 1905 925,655 28
Expenditures
Losses 467,284 50
Other expenditures 256,846 33
Total expenditures, 1905 724,130 43
Business, 1905
Risks written 90,236,180 00
Premiums thereon 888,270 85
Losses incurred 460,110 30
Nevada Business
Risks written 49,252 00
Premiums received 1,695 96
Losses paid 2,634 82
Losses incurred 2,634 82
P. E. Rason, Manager.

Dentistry

Dr. Frank McCasky will have charge of Dr. W. H. Cavell's office during the absence of the latter.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of The Title Guarantee & Trust Co. Of Scranton, Penna.
Capital (deposited) \$ 791,100 00
Assets 1,729,822 78
Liabilities, exclusive of capital and net surplus 601,769 69
Income
Premiums 489,034 01
Other sources 154,346 25
Total income, 1905 643,380 26
Expenditures
Paid policy holders 78,584 03
Dividends 46,835 00
Other expenditures 344,673 92
Total expenditures, 1905 470,092 95
Business, 1905
Risks written 102,715,208 51
Premiums thereon 629,702 32
Losses incurred 150,671 61
Nevada Business
Amount of risks written 91,850 00
Premiums received 317 25
Amount of said policies 73,531 00

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of The Travelers Insurance Company Of Hartford, Conn.
Capital (paid up) \$1,000,000 00
Assets 48,960,979 43
Liabilities, exclusive of capital and net surplus 42,606,221 68
Income
Premiums 12,260,855 56
Other Sources 2,140,933 32
Total income, 1905 14,401,788 82
Expenditures
Losses 5,137,387 95
Dividends 250,000 00
Other Expenditures 4,880,845 74
Total Expense 10,268,233 69
Business 1905.
Risks Written 1,000 00
Premiums Thereon 884,464 01
Losses Incurred 5,408,463 71
Nevada Business
Premiums Received 1,253 16

The young man who goes to the Kings' Daughters' sale and entertainment on February 17th without his best girl will regret it ever after.

Assessment Notice

Prudential Investment and Security Company—Location of principal place of business, Carson City, State of Nevada.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the third day of January, 1906, an assessment (No. 1) of ten (\$10) dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States Gold coin, to the Secretary of the corporation, at the office of the Company in the County Building, on Carson street, in the State of Nevada, or at its executive office, Rooms 740-742 of the James Flood Building, 970 Market street, in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, the 17th day of February, 1906, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Wednesday, the seventh day of March, 1906, to pay the delinquent assessment together with the costs of advertising and expense of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.
CHARLES WILSON,
Secretary
Offices—County Building, Carson St., Carson City, Nevada, and Rooms 740-742 James Flood Building, 970 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

Proposals for Meats

Sealed proposals for furnishing meats, delivered at the Nevada State Prison for one year from February 1, 1906, will be received up to January 16, 1906. All meats to be first class of their kind and to be delivered in such quantity and as such time as the Warden may direct, quantity varying each month as required. All meats not satisfactory to be returned at the contractors' expense. Bids to be directed to the Secretary Board of State Prison Commissioners, Carson City, Nevada, up to January 26, 1906. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of The Standard Life and Accident Insurance Co., Of Detroit Mich. Incorporated 1884.
D. W. Ferry, President
E. A. Leonard, Secretary.
Capital (paid up) \$ 250,000 00
Assets 2,286,822 34
Liabilities, exclusive of capital and net surplus 1,430,580 56
Income
Premiums 1,592,875 36
Other sources 81,301 16
Total income, 1905 1,674,176 52
Expenditures
Losses 702,917 83
Dividends 30,000 00
Other expenditures 712,742 09
Total expenditures, 1905 1,445,659 92
Business, 1905
Risks written none
Premiums thereon 1,622,565 18
Losses incurred 793,233 21
Nevada Business
Risks written None
Premiums received 336 75
Losses paid 51 78
Losses incurred 51 78
E. A. LEONARD, Secretary.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of The Insurance Co., Of North America, Of Philadelphia, Pa.
Capital (paid up) \$ 3,000,000 00
Assets 13,024,882 83
Liabilities, exclusive of capital and net surplus 9,398,152 26
Income
Premiums 7,186,002 34
Other sources 492,901 16
Total income, 1905 7,678,903 50
Expenditures
Losses 3,835,509 90
Dividends 260,000 00
Other expenditures 2,453,597 73
Total expenditures 1905 6,649,107 63
Business, 1905
Risks written 993,467,921 00
Premiums thereon 9,013,609 19
Losses incurred 3,787,209 90
Nevada Business
Risks written 113,167 00
Premiums received 2,527 34
Losses paid 727 98
Losses incurred 727 98
J. D. BAILEY General Agent

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Of The Goldfield Rex Mining Company
Oct. 20th, 1904 to Jan. 1st, 1906.
Receipts \$63,597.09
Disbursements 63,217.33
LANSFORD F. BUTLER,
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